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NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS.

OTICE is hereby given. That an EX TRAORDINARY MEETING SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OFFICES of Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co., No. 6 Ice-House Lane, at Noon, on SATURDAY Resolution will be put to the Meeting :-"That the Directors of the Company be em-

"powered, in conjunction with the General Managers of the Lamag Planting Com-"pany, Limited, and the General Managers "of the Songei Koyah Planting Company, "Limited, to accept the offer which has been made for the purchase of the lands, "buildings, plant, machinery, steam launches, "goodwill, coolie debts, and contracts, and "growing crops of the three Companies for of Medicines. the sum of £40,000 sterling, this Com-"pany's share of the purchase money to be "£18,333 6s..8d."

By order of the Board of Directors, -CHAS. F. HARTON, Secretary.

Hongkong, 19th December, 1890. THE SONGEI KOYAH PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, That in pursu, - ance of a Requisition duly made in writing under Article 8 of the Company's Articles of Association upon the undersigned General Managers, the Undersigneddo hereby convene an EXTRAORUINARY GENERAL MEET-ING of SHAREHOLDERS at the OFFICES of the COMPANY, No. 6, Ice-House Lane, for SATURDAY, the 27th DECEMBER, 1890, at

Noon, when the following Resolution will be

submitted, vis.:—

"That the General Managers of the Company "be empowered, in conjunction with the "General Managers of the Lamag Plant-"ing Company, Limited, and the Directors "of the East Borneo Planting Company, "Limited, to accept the offer which has

been made for the purchase of the lands, "buildings, plant, machinery, steam launches, goodwill; coolie debts, and contracts, and "growing crops of the three Companies for "the sum of Forty thousand pounds ster-"ling, this Comrany's share of the pur-"chase money to be. Thirteen thousand three hundred and thirty-three pounds, " six shillings, and eightpence."

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 19th December, 1890. 2690

THE LAMAG PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS.

NTOTICE is hereby given. That an EX TRAORDINARY MEETING SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OF-FICES of Mesers. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., No. 6, Ice-House Lane, at 0.30 P.M., on SATUR. DAY, the 27th DECEMBER, 1890, when the following Resolution will be put to the Meet-

"That the General Managers of the Company be empowered, in conjunction with the "Directors of the East Borneo Planting "Company, Limited, and the General Man-"agers of the Songei Koyah Planting Com-"pany, Limited, to accept the offer which has been made for the purchase of the "lands, buildings, plant, machinery, good-"will, coolie debts, and contracts, and grow-"ing crops of the three Companies for the "snm of £40,000 sterling, this Company's "share of the purchase money to be

" £18,333 6a. 8d." GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 19th December, 1890. 2691 CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

I N accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents, with approval of the Consulting Committee, will on the 1st JANUARY, 1891, issue INTEREST WARRANTS of \$5 per Share, payable at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COR-PORATION, the same being at the rate of 19 per cent, per annum on the Paid-up Capital of the Office for the year 1890, and Notice is hereby given that in order that the same may be adjusted, the Transfer Books of the Office will

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agenta. Canton Insurance Office, Limited. Hongkong, 18th December, 1890.

THE MARINBURK FURNITURE COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given to HOLDERS of SHARES in the above Company bearing Nos. 501/575, 1426/1450, 1576/1585, 1816/1825 and 2031/2080, that unless the FINAL CALL of NINE DOLLARS per Share due on the 20th October, 1890, be paid, together with Interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent. per snnnm from the said due date, to the Hong-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. on or before the 3 st day of DECEMBER, 1890, he said Shares will be liable to be FOR-FEITED, and under provision of Section IX. Clause 1, of the Articles of Association of the Company, the Board will pass the necessary esolution for the Forfeiture of the said Shares.

J. MARINBURK, Manager. Hongkong, 18th December, 1890.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

By Order of the Board of the Directors,

ON THURSDAY next, the 25th instant, being CHRISTMAS DAY, and on THURSDAY, the 1st JANUARY, 1891, being NEW YEAR'S DAY, this OFFICE and the OPIUM EXAMINATION HULK will be CLOSED to the transaction of all Business; but work at the Customs Stations will proceed s usual.

J. McLEAVY BROWN, Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District. Customs House, Kowloon, 18th December, 1899.

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RS. FALCONER has vacancies for Gentlemen Resident Boarders Kowloon.

Hongkong, 10th January, 1890, THE CHINA BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

T is hereby notified, That the FIRST CALL HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COR-JANUARY, 1891. Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum

will be charged on all Calls overdue. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 17th December, 1890.

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Scoretary. Hongkong, 3rd December, 1890. HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED. THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

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TURNER & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, 15th December, 1890,

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ARRIVALS. Dec. 18, Parthia, British str., 2,085; John Panton, Vancouver 20th Nov., Yokohama 10th Dec., Kobe 12th, and Nagasaki 15th, General - ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Dec. 19, HAITAN, British str., 1,183, S. Ashton,

LAPBAIR & Co. Dec. 19, Tsinan, British steamer, 2,460, W. N. Allison, Sydney via Port Darwin 24th Nov., General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Dec. 19. Avochie, British steamer, 1,055, T. Rowin, Kutchinotzu 14th Dec., Coals.-A.

Swatow 18th Dec., General, - DougLAS

G. MORRIS. Dec. 19, EGERIA, British surveying ship, 740, A. M. Field, Singapore 27th November. Dec. 19, FREJE, Danish str., 397, C. A. Lund, Pakhoi 16th Dec., and Hoihow 18th, Gene-

ral.—ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Dec. 19, CHAS. G. WILSON, Amr. sch., 56, J. V. Melander, Xap (Caroling Island) 9th Dec. General.—CAPTAIN: Dec. 19, LINNEY, British g-bt., from a cruise.

> CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, 19TH DECEMBER.

Ajam, British str., for Yokohama. Oceanic, British str., for Yokohama. Diamante, British str., for Manila. Clara, German str., for Nagasaki. Memnon, British str., for Sandakau. Achilles, British str., for Singapore.

DEPARTURES.

Dec. 19, JOHANN. German str., for Touron. Dec. 19, FORIEN, British etr., for Swatow. Dec. 19, FALKENBURG, German str., for Saigon. Dec. 19, DIAMANTE. British str., for Manila. Dec. 19, OCEANIC, British str., for S. Francisco. Dec. 19, POLYPHEMUS, Brit. str., for Shanghai. PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Parthia, str., from Vancouver, &c .- Mrs. Rennis, and Mr. Dennys, and 324 Chinese. Per Teinan, str., from Sydney, &c.-Wr. and Mrs. Spicer, Messrs. Ito, Lucas, and Wood,

DEPARTED. Per Oceanic, str., for Yokohama.-Mr. and Mrs. Austin. For London.-Mesars. Wm. Graham and J. G. Skipton. For Liverpool.-Mr. F. O. Osborne.

REPORTS.

The British steamer Tsinan, from Sydney via Port Darwin 24th Nov., had fine weather throughout, with moderate monsoon. The British steamer Haitan, from Swatow

18th Dec., had fresh to moderate easterly winds and overcast weather. In Swatow str. Haiphong. The British surveying ship Egeria, from Singapore 27th Nov., had fine weather to Labuan;

from thence strong winds to Manila and to

The British steamer Avochie, from Kutchinotzu 14th Dec., had strong N.W. gale and high sen to lat. 15; thence to Hongkong moderate N. E. winds and overcast weather.

The British steamer Parthia, from Vancouver 20th Nov., Yekohama 10th Dec., Kobe 12th, and Nugasaki 15th, had light variable winds and fine weather throughout, except part of Inland Sea, where fog was encountered and caused delay.

VESSELS IN DOCK. ABERDEEN DOCKS .- Tongsban. Kowloon Docks.-Cheang Hock Kian, Cheang Hye Teng, Falkenburg, Picciola, Powan, Abyssinia, Pembro eshire, Clara, Thales. COSMOPOLITAN DOCK .- Phra Chula Chom

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TO-DAY. Meeting of Legislative Council, 11 a.m. Meeting of High-Level Tramways Company,

Cricket Match, 11.30. Sale of Furniture, &c., at Lammert's Sale Rooms, 11.30 a.m. Sale of Camellia Plants, noon, at Armstrong's Sale Rooms.

Sale of Furniture at Hampton House, 2 p.m.; Mr. Armstrong, suctioneer. Presentation of Victoria Regatta Prizes, Club Gymnasium, 6 p.m.

Meeting of Zetland Lodge, 8.30 p.m. "The Colleen Bawn" at Theatre Royal. CHRISTMAS, 1890.

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Hongkong, December 20th, 1890.

The P. & O. steamer Verona left Nagasaki guilty.

for this port on the 18th inst. at 5 p.m.

His Excellency the Acting Governor will receive visitors at Government House this after-

The Agents (Messrs: Adamson, Bell & Co.) inform us that the C. P. steamer Batavia arrived at Vangeuver on the 17th inst. Members of the Hougkong Cricket Club

wishing to play in the pick up "to-day are while people were asleep on the premises on the requested to be on the ground punctually at 11.30 | 20th November. The prisoner formerly lived in o'clock a.m.

the Samos Islands, having called at Singapore a quarrel ensuing, a man living in the same house en rout. She expected to leave in a few days for interfered and struck the prisoner twice. The Chemulpo.

which was to have been held to-day in the Hongkong Hotel, has been postponed to Saturday, the 3rd January. the day for to-day's meeting of the Legislative

in the Green Island Cement Company, Limited.

Council:-Third reading of the Bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for and regulate a Pension Fund for widows and children of public officers of the colony."

H.M.S. surveying ship Egeria, Captain Field, arrived here yesterday from Singapore via Labuan and Manila. Deep sea soundings were taken during the passage. An able seaman named John Heathman died during the voyage from Manila to Hongkong.

Another arrest in connection with the Namoa piracy was effected yesterday morning at Yaumati by a Chinese detective. The accused, who is an old salt smuggler, was brought before Mr. A. G. Wise in the Police Court, and formally remanded till Tuesday next.

To-morrow-morning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock, the steam launch Dayspring, carrying the Bethel flag, will call alongside any yessel hoisting code pennant C., to convey men ashore to 11 a.m. service at St. Peter's (Seamen's) Church, returning about 12,30.

The property known as Section B of Marine Lot No. 225, with the houses standing thereon. Nos. 138, 140, 142, and 144 Wing Lok Street, was to have been put up to suction yesterday afternoon by Mr. J. M. Armstrong, but was withdrawn from sale at the last moment.

The very neat and handy desk calendar issued by the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited. for 1890 was greatly appreciated, being still in use in most offices in the Far East, and those who have found it a convenience will be glad to welcome its successor for 1891, which is in exactly the same form and style.

The British gunboats Linnet and Firebrand returned to port yesterday afternoon after an unsuccessful search for the Namoa pirates. The course taken by the former gunboat was, we understand, to the southward and eastward, whilst the latter gunboat went north, touching at several places. At Lam Shu Bay a number of Shaukiwan fishing junks were met with, and on Mendoza Island the Pinhoi people were unable to given any further partionlars then what is already known regarding the junks that were seen in the vicinity of the Island on the 10th just. At another place named Kanto the inhabitants had never heard of the affair, the was maintained to the finish. After the first whilst the mandarin of a district not far distant had rewards placarded about for the arrest of length, but the Scotch crew were rowing wellany of the piratical hand. During the cruise within themselves, and their backers by no two Chinese gunbouts were met with which were means lost hope. At the half mile, however, also spraged in the search, but so fer their there was daylight between the boats and the pater and piet ausgrichtung alte beit tobule

The Chief Justice, Sir James Russell, with a party of friends witnessed a performance at the responded to by the opposing crew, who never Ko Shing Theatre last night.

Dross Opium Farmer, was yesterday charged at the Police Court before Mr. A. G. Wise with entering a Chinese gambling-olub in Stanley Street and stealing \$15. The case was remanded till the 22nd inst.

We learn that the Hongkong Hotel Company are subdividing their present shares of \$100 each into shares of \$50, and intend to increase the subscribed capital to \$600,000 by issuing 6,000 new shares at 20 per cent. premium, one half of which, that is \$25 per share, together with half the premium, to be payable on the 31st March.

The Yokohama papers state that the latest information relative to the N. Y. K. steamer Tokio Maru, which is badly ashore at the south of Sucuotaki, near Noshima, is that there is some hope of getting her off, but she is considerably damaged. It is already known that one of her bilges is badly stove in. The steamer Ise Maru has also been ashore at Tsutsianki, but was got off without serious damage.

The Japan Daily Herald understands that news has been received from home that the representative in England of the Yokohama community has presented to the Marquis of Salisbury the resolutions adopted at the recent public meeting, and has received from the Prime Minister an assurance that the views of the residents will receive due attention whenever the time for consideration of the subject shall arrive-

There was a crowded house in the Theatre Royal on Thursday night, whon Signor Majeroni, supported by the Stanley Opera Company, produced the drams of the "Old Corporal." The performance was an unqualified success, and the impersonation by Signor Majeroni of Corporal Simon was a genuine piece of artistic acting of the highest type. The audience were enthusiastic and the success so complete that it has been arranged to give a repetition of the drama on Tuesday night, when those who failed to see this really fine representation will be afforded a last opportunity of doing so.

The Tokyo Jiyu Shimbun says :- If the Cabinet should approve of a proposal put before it by Viscount Aoki as to certain changes in the diplomatic service, a very important step will be taken. The new measure will involve the transformation of the Japanese representatives at the Courts of England, France, Germany, Austria, Russia, the United States, &c., into Shinnin-kwan (officers appointed directly by the Emperor). Their terms of office will be extended from three to five or seven years, and they will thus be enabled to acquire more extensive and varied knowledge of the countries to which they are accredited, while the heavy expenditure necossitated by frequent changes of Ministers will be avoided. A difficult point will be encountered in finding men suitable for these posts, but it seems that the names of Viscount Enomoto, Viscount Miura, and Mr. Hanabusa have so far been received with approval, and in all probability: two members of the present Cabinet will be deputed to represent their country abroad, so that indirectly the changes will create vacancies in the Central Government.

SUPREME COURT. 19th December.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

BEFORE HIS HUNOUR SIR JAMES RUSSELL CHIEF JUSTICE.

Wong Yee Hing was charged with the larceny of seven pinces of clothing, the property of Lam Kum, on the 1st January, 1890.

The prisoner pleaded not guilty. The following were the jurers :- Messrs. F W. Hermann, F. A. Ozario, H. H. Blake, H. Carmichael, S. S. Benjamin, C. Grant, and H. E. Denson.

Mr. A. J. Leach, who appeared on behalf of the Acting Attorney-General, prosecuted, and in opening the case said the prisoner was charged with stealing seven pieces of clothing. The case was a very simple one. The complainant gave the prisoner, who was a working tailor, the clothing to make up into pants and so forth. The garments not being returned in an ordinary time, the complainant went to the prisoner's house on the 19th January but found the prisoner had gone. Information was given to the police and the clothing was found in several pawnshops of the colony. The pri-[2-19 soner was not again seen till about the middle of November, when he was arrested and charged.

The evidence of the complainant together with that of several pawnbrokers, to whom the clothing had been pawned, was then taken. The prisoner made a statment admitting pawning the clothing, but said he had paid \$26 to the complainant's family in order that he

should not be proceeded against, The jury returned a unanimous verdict of

His Lordship passed a sentence of six months' imprisonment with hard labour. THE CHARGE OF ARSON.

Kun Kwang was charged with feloniously and maliciously setting fire to a dwelling house, No. 35. Bridges Street, on the 20th November last.

The prisoner pleaded not guilty. Mr. A. J. Leach prosecuted on behalf of the Acting Attorney-General, and said the prisoner was charged with setting fire to the house the house, which appeared to be a coolie house, with a woman, and having quarrelled with her he left The U.S. S. Alliance, Captain Taylor, arrived at it for some days, returning on the night Nagasakien the 4th inst., twenty-five daysout from | of the 19th. The woman ordered him away and, prisoner then left, and in doing so made use of an expression of a threatening nature. I here The extraordinary meeting of the shareholders | was no direct evidence, but there was the evidence of a quarrel, a threat, and the fire. When the prisoner was arrested his clothing and hands smelt of kerosine, and it was afterwards found

that kerosine had been made use of at the fire. Loung Kow, cook, who at the time in question The following has been added to the orders of lived in the house, gave evidence of hearing a quarrel between the prisoner and a woman, and also as to his (witness) striking the prisoner twice. About 1.30 a.m. on the 20th ult. he was awakened by hearing a cry of "fire," which was found to be between the partition of the stairs

and the wall. Sergeant Mann and Kwong Fat, P.C. 219 gave evidence of arresting the prisoner in Tank Lane at 3 a.m. on the 20th November, and his

jacket and hands smelling of kerosine. The jury returned a unanimous verdict of

guilty. Sentence deferred.

VICTORIA REGATTA

SECOND DAY.

The weather conditions yesterday were much the same as the previous day, and the different exents, though not devoid of interest, were never at any time particularly exciting. The International Race, for which on y two crews entered-English and Scotch-was a foregone conclusion, the English crew leading throughout. INTERNATIONAL RACE, "CHALLENGE CUP."-

For four oars; cup presented by J. S. Lapraik, Esq, to be held by the winning orew for one year; but to remain the property of the Cinb; distance, one-mile-and-a-half; entrance, \$10 to be rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Represtion Club.

Leek,"-First,	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1.
Station No. 2.	1100	100
Bow, H. P. Wadman,	10st.	11b.
No. 2, W. H. Sotte,	11st.	10lbs.
No. 3, G. C. C. Master,	10st.	71be.
Stroke, J. D. Hickley		
Cox. G. A. Caldwell	9st.	016.
"Thiatle."—Second.	" And	A 1,150
Station No. 1.—		
Bow, F. Dundas,	10st.	81bm
No. 2, E. L. Duncan,		7lbs.
No. 3, Captain Handerson,		6lbs.
Stroke, A. G. Stephen,		
		ALBERT .

Cox, R, de C. Boyd, Sat. 31ba. This race was understood to be almost a foregone conclusion, the English starting strong favourites, and events proved that the confidence was not misplaced. At the start the English crew got away with a little the advantage, and quarter the English were leading by nearly a distance was improposed. Opposionally the figure

erew put on a spurt, but this was always allowed the distance between the boats to increase. After the mile was covered the Loung Tak, an excise officer employed by the English were leading by about three lengths. Over the last quarter the Spotch decreased the distance between the two boats by about half the distance, but when nearing the winning post the English quickened their stroke and won by about four lengths. Time, 11 mins. 25 sees.

SENIOR SCULIS.—Open to any member of the Victoria Recreation Club; distance, one mile: entrance fee, \$5; oup presented by the Parsee community. W: Skott 11st. 5lbs

E. B. Shephard, 10st. 5lbs. ... The two boats rowed together for the first half. dozen lengths when Skott went shead quickly, and at the quarter was leading by a couple of lengths. Shapherd was evidently very much out of training. Skott gradually increased his lead, and at the three quarter mile Shepherd threw up the race, leaving Skott to win as he pleased. Time, 8 mins. 27 sees.

FOR HEAVY GIGS; open to European Non-Commissioned Officers and men of any Regiment or corps of the Garrison, or to European members of the Police Force; the boats to be approved by the committee; distance, one mile; time allowed for oars, 8 seconds per car four boats must start for two prises; entrance, \$1; first prize, \$15; second prize, \$5 (the winner of race No. 2 first day to be excluded)

Five boats started for this race. After good contest the result was as follows :---A & S. Highlanders' Louise A. & S. Highlanders' Sutherland FOR MEN-OF-WAR'S CUTTERS .- Distance, one

mile; entrance, 81; first prize, 315; second prise, \$10; time allowed for cars, 4 seconds per our; boats to be approved by the committee; (winner of 11th race 1st day to be excluded); four boats to start for two prises. Five boats started, and after a well rowed race the Alacrity came in the winner. The Im-

allowance for the Alacrity's crew they managed | to take the prize. "GARRISON CUP," presented by the officers of the garrison; for four oars; distance, one mile; entrance, \$10; to be rowed in boats the properly of the Victoria Recreation Club or boats similar in build to those belonging to Victoria Recreation Club.

"Thistle."-First.		
Station No. 5Black and	White	B
Don II D Wadman	That	1114.
No. 2, t. G. Young, R.E No. 3, G. L. Duncau Stroke, G. C. C. Master	10st.	Clbs.
No. 3, G. L. Duncau	10st.	6lbs.
Stroke, G. C. C. Master	10st:	7lbs.
Cox, G. A. Caldwell	9st.	0lb.
"Leek."—Second.		
Station No.3.—Admiral's	Flag.	
No. 2, H. W. Metcalfe	Ost.	121bs.
No. 2, H. W. Metcalfe	10st.	71bs.
No. 3, R. B. Garde	list.	: lbs.
Stroke, J. D. Hickley	. 1 st.	PIPE.
Cox, H. C. Brooklebank		01ь.
"Victoria."-Third.		4
Station No. 2.—Scarlet and		
Bow, F. C. Dundas	. 10st.	8lbs.
No. 2, Captain Robinson	11st.	31ba.

_	Station No. 1.—Dark-blue and White.	(°
.]	Sow, P. S. Bent, 10st. 10bs.	
.]	No. 2. C. E. Lafents	
	No. 3, T. E. Griffiths 11st. 10lbs.	
1	Stroker S. P. Read 13st. 3lbs.	
	Cox, G. F. Watts	
-	Station No. 4.—Red and White.	_

No. 3, F. L. Jackson 12st. 7lbs.

Stroke, Captain Henderson 11st. 61bs.

Cox, R. de C. Boyd...... 9st. 3lbs.

Bow, C. H. Thompson 10st. 12lbs. No. 2, A. H. Ough 10st. Illbs. Stroke, H. Skött 11st. 5lbs. Cox, H. Sampson 9st. 121bs. One of the best rowed races of the day, the re-At the start the Thistle led, but the Leek and Victoria were quickly on even terms with her. and at the first quarter the three boats were well in line, the Victoria if anything having the advantage. The Victoria and Leek then went shead, and at the half mile the Victoria was leading by about half a length, the Leek being second with rather more advantage from the Thistle, the other two boats being some three lengths behind. At the three-quarter mile the Victoria had still the lead by about half a length, but shortly after the Leek over. hauled them and managed to keep in front by about half a length. Up to the last hundred yards the race seemed to be in the hands of the Leek, but at this distance the Thistle, splendidly.

judge about half a length in front by the Leek. Time, 7 mins. 7 secs. The water was rough, the pace it was feet," Thus sang the big crew from Canton; So though we were big, we weren't quite on, In fact we were too big to last."

stroked of Master; came well up and passed the

Oh, hail 'Victoria, give us the Gloria," Thus sang the crew of Argyles, But 'twasn't to be done, for out of pure fun G. A. Caldwell served out his wiles. "Oh, give me a Leek, and give it me quickly" Thus sang out the stroke, that gallant stroke

Hickley They gave him a Leek, but not the award, For Hickley was lost without his best Garde." 'Tis the last 'Ross' of Summer, sang Heitman von

And I fear 'tis the last chance now that I've got -To bust up the 'Vic,' the 'Le k,' and the Thistle : Oh if I can win, won't my countrymen whistle !" Then up spoke brave old Master, "My lide we will go taster

Than ever 'Vie or Rose or Leek' Did during the last training week. We'll show them what the 'Thistle' can do When pulled by self, Young, Duncan, Wadman too We'll show them just that they must haste ... If in the Garrison they will be placed."

BROKERS' CUP, presented by the Share Brokers of Hongkong; for double sculls; distance one mile; entrance, 65: to be rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Becreation Club. "-First. Station No. 4-Scarlet and White.

Bow, C. Robinson...... 10st. 8lbs. Stroke, F. L. Jackson 12st. 7lbs. Cox, R. de C. Boyd 9st. 2lbs. "Kathleen."-Second. Station No. 2.—Admiral's flag. Bow. A. G. Stephen..... list. 4lbs. Stroke, H. W. Metcalife...... 10st, 5lbs.

Cox. F. O. Lewis 9st. Olb. "-Third. Station No. 1 .- Dark Blue and White. Bows-T. E. Griffiths..... Stroke, S. P. Read..... Cor, G. F. Watts..... " LILY.

At the start the Lily went away with a spurt but the lead was not long lived, as the military boat quickly overhauled them and took first place. The Kathleen followed their example and left the Lily behind, the Canton boat following suit. At the half mile the military boat wasleading by a couple of lengths, the Kathleen next and the Canton boat some three lengths behind. From this point the military host never lost the advantage gained, and although the Kathleen made several efforts to come up with them they retained their advantage to the

Station No. 6 .- Black and White.

Bow, H. Botel 10st. 91bs.

Stroke, O. Eschwind 11st, 12lbs.

and a half in front of the Kathleen, the Canton boat making a good race for third place. "AMERICAN CUP."-Presented by the American Community; for four-oars; distance, one mile; entrance, \$10; to be rowed in boats the proper y of the Victoria Recreation Club. " Leek."-First. Station No. 2.—Admiral's Flag. Bow, P. V. Oliver, 9st. 12lbs.

finish and passed the judge's post some length

No. 2, M. H. Cobbe	10st. 41bs.
No. 8, C. H. Thompson	10st. 12lbs.
Stroke, J. D. Hickley	
Cox, G. A. Caldwell	
"Shamrook.	
	Red and White.
Bow, A. H. Ough,	
No. 2, A. Duer,	10st. 10lbs
No. 3, W. S. Taylor,	
Stroke, H. Skott,	
Cox, H. Sampson,	9st: 12lbs
"Thiatle."	
Station No. 4	

Bow, F. H. Walter, 9st. Olb No. 2, E. G. Young, R.E., 10st. 61bs. No. 3, F. L. Jackson, 12st. 71bs Stroke, Captain Henderson, 11st: 6lbs Cox, R. de C. Boyd, 9st, 31bs "Rose."

Bow, G. L. Duncau, 10st. 6lbs;

No. 2. G. H. Potta 12st. Olb. No. 3 R. B. Garde, many 11st, 21hs,

"Victoria Station No. 1 .-Bow, H. P. Wadman, 10st. 11b. No. 2, D. H. Mackintosh, 10st. 6lbs. No. 3, J. T. H. Sample, 11et, 4lbs. Stroke, A. G. Stephen, 11st. 41bs. Cox, W. Stopani, 9st. 4lbs.

At the start the Shamrock led, followed closely by the Thistle and the Leek The Thistle an Shamrock then came on even terms, the Leel falling a little to the stern. Thistle next too the lead, and at the half mile was leading by ha a length the Leek being close behind. The I hietle still kept their lead, but Rose, Shamroo and Thistle during the last quarter came up splendid form. The Leek then drew away, an passing the others won by a couple of lengths, good struggle being made for the second place the Shamrook taking the place by half a lengt Time, 7 mine. 12 accs.

BELILIOS CUP."-Presented by E. R. Belilio Esq.; for eight-oars; distance, one mile; e trance, \$16; United Services v. Civilians, The crews that started were - Defence, Hickle Jackson, Heuderson, Garde, Robinson, Dunde Metcalfe, Oliver. Commerce W. H. Pot Skött, A. G. Stephen, A. Duer, G. H. Potts, Ough, C. H. Thompson, Wadman.

YACRTS RACE; for yachts over 10 tons. The Ariol, Zephyr, and Naemi were sel away at 1.55 p.m., getting off in the order name The wind was N.E. with a force of 3, and t yachta set kites while running before it. splendid race took place for the first mark, the Ariel leading, with Zephyr second, and t Naomi creeping up, and getting abreast of the Zephyr at 2h. 36 m. The Cow-e-chow ma out was rounded as follows:-

southward, the wind freshening to a force of By 2.38 Naomi had assumed the lead, and t Chung-hue mark boat was passed in the follow periouse should have had the race, but with the ing order :-Naomi Zophyr 3 11. 50

Naomi 2 20 35

Zephyr 2 80 00

Shortly after rounding the Ariel tacked to

Naomi and Zephyr made from the Hongkong shore, while Ariel took a course inside Stonecutters Island. 'I he times taken at the flagship were:--Naomi..... 3 On the run to the Regatta Bay mark Naomi

further increased her lead, the times being :-Naomi 3 57 10 Zeohyr 4 6 The Naomi allowing the other two yachts ten minutes, there was little to choose between the three at this point, and an exciting run ensued for the finish at the flagship, which was rounded as follows :--

Naomi...... 4 Zephyr 4 21 Naomi therefore won, having made up her time allowance with the parrow margin of 20 seconds to the good. YACHT RACE; for yachts under 10 tons. For this race there were only two entrants,

the Arrow and the Zythomus, the former

allowing the latter ten minutes. The start was made at 1.55 p.m., the Arrow getting a considerable lead at the commencement, and the Cow-o-chow mark was passed as follows :--

The latter was not timed at the other marks, being hopelessly behind. The Arrow finished at 4h, 3m. 25s. OPEN SAILING BOATS. For this there were only two entrants, the

sult hanging in the balance to the last minute. Harbour Master's gig-and the Sailors' Home cutter. The Commodore's galley, the winner of yesterday's race, went over the course, but could not compete for the prise, being disqualified by her previous win. In gybing round the first mark boat, off Green Island, the Harbour Master's gig, which was in ... close company with the other boat, capsized, so that the Sailors' Home outter had simply to sail over the course to win, which she did in 3 min. 48 sec. less time than that occupied by the previous day's race. but this time was beaten by the Commiddere's galley, which covered the whole course of twelve miles in 1 h. 29 m., the cutter's time being 1h 45 m.

CORRESPONDENCE

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A NEW WATERING-PLACE FOR HONGKONG TO THE EDITOR OF THE " DALLY PRESS."

SIR,-Hongkong harbour isdoubtless a valuable possession; but it forme/anything but an attractive watering-place. The chief attraction to the seaside is the sea sand, the advancing and receding tide, the bathing, the wading without shoes and stockings, the sitting or lying on the beach in the midstof children and sunshades. We cannot have all this in Hongkong, but we might occasionally enjoy an approach to it. If we get the "Jubilee Road," Deep liay on the south side of the island may become as attractive as Scarborough. I wonder how many of our population have been there by land? A very smallproportion. For all purposes of pleasure Victoris is certainly on the wrong wide of the island. We used to swear at the bill for coming between us and the summer wind. Some have since been fortunate enough to surmount the difficulty by ascending the Peak, and spending there sixteen hours of week days and the whole of Sundays. This is very much like three months out of four; and for those who can manage it, this is a wondrous alleviation to the summer's heat. But there are very many who cannot do it, and for them how great a boon it would be, could they occasionally take a run, at small expense, round to the other side. Houses of entertainment would soon spring up, and the juniors by spending the week end, or Sunday, or an occassional off day there, would enjoy a change the benefit of which would be incalculable. The increased sobriety of the English people is not a little owing to the growth of cheap excursion trains, and their influence in drawing holiday makers away from the local public-houses. It has been truly said that holidays in Hongkong are of little or no use because there is nowhere to go. This would not be true if we had a good pionic house at the Gap, at the south end of the Wong-nei-chong Valley, and a good carriage road to it. We should then be within a short distance of Deep Bay and the charming walks, rides, and drives in its neighbourhood. Instead of our going over to Macao, the Macao people would want to be coming here. The first thing appears to me to be to get a curvey made. Who will help?-Your obedies

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of the figures \$,000 in Articles 41 and 42. And for the purpose of appointing a new General Manager or Managers. C. EWENS, General Manager. Hongkong, 20th December, 1890. PUBLIC AUCTION. FIHE Undersigned has received instructions

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TOBACCO PROSPECTS IN BORNEO. FRIDAY, 19TH DECEMBER. Commenting on an article in the Deli Courant, CLOSING QUOTATIONS. a translation of which recently appeared in our EXCHANGE. columns, the North Borneo Herald says:-IN LONDON. The article preaches homilies on the estates on the Labuk, Sugnt and Kinabatangan rivers, the Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight "Inspired" party having apparently not visited Bank Bills, at 4 months sight3,7 Darvel Bay or the Marudu Bay estates. As he Credits, at 4 months sight 3.71 has signally shown to his own satisfaction and Documentary Bills, 4 months aight 3 74 that of the Deli Courant that British North N PARIS. Borneo is at best but a one-horse country for to-bacco growing, and as he apparently is never Credita, at 4 months sight4.56 better pleased than when making comparisons ON GERMANY. between Sumatra and this territory, always to On demand the utter discomfiture of the latter, it would have ON NEW YORK. been better perhaps in the interests of fairplay Bank Bills, on demand............ 861 if he had completed his tour of the estates and oriticised them all. The article sums up these ON BOMBAY .facts (P) by cheerfully, assuring its readers that Telegraphic Transfor222 Sumatra has nothing to fear from the rivalry of Bank, on demand 2221 British North Borneo. This being the case, ON CALCOTTAwe think it worth while making a few extracts from the body of the article which go far to render the summing up saything but a logical ON SHANGHAL. deduction. For the prospects on the Labuk the Bank, at sight72 Deli Courant says that though, the crop of 1889 was not good that of 1890 is " magnificent" SOVERRIGNS, Bank's Buying Rate..... 5.58 "(beautiful?)" but states that all the land in this direction is already taken up. This latter JOINT STOCK SHARES. statement is open to question: As the word COMPANY. PAID UP. "beautiful" is used in connection with this \$125 | 261, sales cum new river, one hardly sees how it can be argued that Hongkong & S'hai. in this particular spot tobacco prospects should 216, ex new 18800 be looked upon with any distrust. As to the £21.5 \$269, buyers Do. New Issue..... Sugut it is not denied that good tobacco 27.1.8 \$75 Do. Fractl. Certifs. can be grown, but, says the writer, great care must be taken to keep down expenses £10 £18 New Oriental . \$62 Brown & Co., H. G., \$50 This, we fancy, applies to every planting specu-\$10 \$10, nom: Campbell, Moore&Co. lation in any country, whatever on the principle \$50 \$8, nom. China Borneo of the less expenses the greater the profit. The \$100 | \$174, buyers China Sugar Kinabatangan, we are pleased to see, is described 5p. ct. prem., nem. Chinese Loan '84, C., \$500 as a " magnificent waterway within easy ac-Chinese Long 86 E., Tls. 250 Il p.ct. prem. cess of Sandakan, navigable for a long distance Cruickshank & Co.... \$50 340, nom. by large steamers." The three estates founded \$10 312, nom. Dairy Farm Co. by Hongkong capital are spoken of as having \$25 Fenwick & Co., Geo. \$23 been carried on with too much expenditure \$25 | \$20, nom. Gordon & Co., A. G... and their future existence as problematical \$50 | \$22. sellers Green Island Cement Had he said they had been started on too small H. Brick & Cement. \$18.50 | \$10, sellera H. d. C. Bakery \$50 | \$75, nom. a capital he would have been nearer the mark. £10 | \$120, nom. Hongkong & C. Gas. He says uninterrupted planting could be a rried Hongkong Electric ... \$8 | \$74, sellers on on both banks of the river, the soil producing H. H. L. Tramways. \$100 | \$97. sellers good quality tobacco (in some cases rivalling Hongkong Ice..... \$25 | \$91, buyers Sumatra) for an indefinite mileage. All this H. & K. Wharf & G. \$50 | \$82 again seems to us to sound anything but signal H. Steam Laundry... 360 nom. of disaster to the plantations on this river. We Hongkong Rope.... \$50 \$131, sellers have no doubt that the Hongkong Companies H. & W. Dock \$125 | \$86 p.ct, pm: sales will be carried on either by their present owners Hotels or by newcomers who will be only too glad to Austin Arms. \$50 | \$12 step into possession if they are open for sale. 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The British barque Lucia, now in port, has been sold to Mr. Nils Moller, of Shanghai, for

AMOY.

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We have to congratulate a gentleman in Amoy for his success in bringing in from all accounts a magnificent tiger the other day. The sailing vessels from the North are coming down in force now, and eleven of them can

already be counted in the harbour. We hear there are still seven or eight to come. A gang of robbers made a raid on the village of Ngo Chun Seah, situated about two miles from Amoy, at about 4 a.m. on the 10th inst., and succeeded in rebbing the villagers of about

\$2,000. The training for the races is going on well, and we may look for some exciting wins when the events come off, .. The ponies look in excellent trim and are being evidently well looked after. We are sorry to hear that there have been some nasty falls lately. The birds up country seem very wild at pra-

sent, or else it is that the weather is still too

warm, for out of many parties formed this year few have met with any good sport. We hear that there was one big of five geese brought in the other day, and fancy this is the best we have héard of this season. Capt. Wissman, of the barque Anglo-Indian, was charged at the German Consulate last weak before H. I. G. M's and H. B. M's Consuls, with assaulting a Chinese sailor on board the above-

named ressel during a recent voyage from Foo-

chow to Vludivostock and Amoy. The charge having been proved, the captain was fined 600

LATE TELEGRAMS.

marks.—Amoy Times, 13th December.

The subjoined telegrams are taken from Canadia nand Australian papers received yester-

day :-THE O'SHEA DIVORCE CASE. LONDON, 15th November.

The O'Shes divorce suit came up for trial in the Div ree Court to-day. Mr. Justice Butt presided, and a special jury was empannelled to try the case. The court room was densely crowded with relations and friends of the parties to the suit, and a throng of curious spectators, Mesers. Clarke, Lewis and Coward appeared as connsel for the plaintiff, Captain O'Shea, while the respondent, Mrs. O'Shea, was represented by Messrs. Lockwood and Pritchard. Mr. McCall was present to take charge of the interests of Mrs. Steel, sister of Mrs. O'Shes. Mr. Paruell was neither present nor represented by counsel when the court was opened, and only one prominent person connected with the case as principal was present, Captain O'Shea. The counsel for the respondent, Mrs. O'Shea, stated that it was not his intention to cross-examine any witness or to call any witness on the part of his client, nor would he participate in the proceedings. An immense sensation was caused by this announcement, as the action of the defence condemns Mr. Parnell to pay very heavy costs. The course pursued by Mr. Lockwood, counsel for Mrs. O'Shea, in abandoning all intention either to press-examine or call witnesses on behalf of the defence, has very materially altered the position of the famous case. Mr. Clarke, counsel for Capt. O'Shea, in calling attention to the changed condition of affairs, said that the prosecution found itself in court with no respondent to paricipate in the conduct of the defence. In response to a question by Mr. Justice Butt, Mr. Clurks said the counsel for the plaintiff had een unable to find that any one was in court to ppear for Mr. Parnell, and that the suit would herefore seem to be undefended.

MR. GOSCHEN AND MR. BALFOUR. ELECTED RECTORS OF EDINBURGH AND GLASGOW. Edinburgh, 15th November. Right Hon. G. J. Goschen, Chancellor of the Exchequer, was to-day elected Lord Rector

of the University of Edinburgh. Mr. Goschen,

received 1,379 votes and his competitor, Sir Charles Russell, 801 votes. Glasgow, 15th November. At the election held at the University of Glasgow to-day, Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, the Chief Secretary for Ireland, was elected to the office of Lord Rector, receiving 948 votes, against 717 cast for the Earl of Aberdeen.

THE PACIFIC CABLE. LONDON, 21st November. The committee of Lloyd's Association has urged

upon Mr Goschen, Chancellor of the Exchequer, the necessity for the construction of a cable across the Pacific. GENERAL BOOTH'S SCHEME.

LONDON, 20th November. It is reported that General Booth is parleying with the Government at Perch for land in Western Australia to which he may transfer the subjects of his endeavours at reclaiming the

destitute. EXPLORING EXPEDITION TO CHNTRAL AUSTRALIA. MELBOURNE, 20th November. Arrangements are well advanced for the expleration expedition to the unknown portions of t entral Australia. There is every reason to hope that the tank will be undertaken early next year.

Sir Thomas Elder, who hears the cost, has cabled

to the Geographical Society that he will leave for Australia by the H.M S. Ballagrat, which is

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Looking backward to a certain lonely and unhap, y time, a lady says: "I dragged on in this miserable condition for

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years, until I got tired of doctoring and taking stuff that did me no good. One physician attended me for eighteen months, giving me but little relief. "I slept only in a broken fashion, and arose in the morning very little the better for having gone-to-bed. There was often severe pain in my head and over my eyes, and an almost con-

stant sense of sickness. The skin gradually got dry and yellow, the region of the stomach and bowels felt cold and dead, and the natural energy and warmth appeared to be ebbing out of me like the water out of a river at low tide. "In June, 1889, whilst living at Moredown, Bournemouth, I had a worse attack than any I had before. I was taken with a feeling of cramp, as if pins and needles were running into me, all

over my body. I could not move, and had to lie helpless in bed. The doctor was sent for, and attended me every day, but did not seem to know what to make of my case. In fact, he was puzzled, and finally said, 'I don't really know. what your complaint is. " I trembled and shook and felt as if I should fall to pieces. I was first hot and then cold, and so dreadfully nervous I could not bear any one

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MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in

W. H. WALKER,

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	(Sigued) Mrs. Jane Foster, Darracott Road,	For information, terms of business, &c., apply
3	Pokesdown, Bournemouth, Hants. March, 1890.	to
•	It is only necessary to add that the malady	DE WESTLEY LAYTON,
-	from which Mrs. Foster suffered was indigestion,	Secretary,
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FOR LONDON.

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Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. to arrangement. will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same and PASSAGE, apply to the PRNINSULAR & day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to OBIESTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S address in full; value of same is required. Office, Hongkong. ddress in full; value of same is required.

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Foreseans, Stateseamber, 1890,

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COMPANIES.

PROPOSED SALLINGS FROM HONGKONG. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.) PARTHIA....... SUNDAY, 2 at Dec. BATAVIA SUNDAY, 25th Jan. THE Steamship

"ABYESINIA." Captain Williamson, R.N.R., miling at NOON a SUNDAY, the 21st inst., instead of as pre-ON THURSDAY, the let January, 1891, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "DJEMNAH," Commandant Bonnefoy, with viously notified, will proceed to VANCOUVICE VIA INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKO HAMA.

RATES OF PASSAGE. FROM HONGRONG, FIRST CLASS, To Vancouver and Victoria \$210.00 To Port Townsond, Scattle, Tacoms \$213.00 To Portland, Ore. \$220.00 To Winnipeg, Minusapolis, St. Paul \$260.00 To Chicago, Kansas City, Milwaukoe. \$275.00 To St. Louis, Detroit, Cincinnati ... \$280.00 To Hamilton, Kingston, London (Ont.), Ottawa, Toronto, Mont-

real, New York, Albany, Buf- \$ \$290.00 falo, Ningara Falls, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington To Quebec, Boston, Portland (Maine) \$295.00 To Halifax, St. Johns \$305.00 To Liverpool To London via Liverpool To Paris and Bromen

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PARCELS must be sent to our Office with address marked in full by 5 P.M. on the day For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 17th December, 1890,

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tion of a novel to run for about six months, but as it will not commence for some weeks yet, we STEAM FOR have, to fill up the interval, purchased the INGAPORE. COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, right of original publication of a thrilling story, PORT BAID. BRINDISI GENOA ANTWEEP. BREMEN, AND HAMBURG. PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK

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PLACES IN RUBSIA. ON SUNDAY, the 21st day of December, pany's Offices on MONDAY, the 29th instant, 1890, at 11 Am., the Company's Steamship at 4 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of Freceiving Office.

"SACHSEN," Captain K. v. Gössel, with the Directors Reports and Statement of AcMAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and counts for the year ended October 31st, 1890. CARGO: will leave this Port as above, CALL-

ING AT GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till NOON, days inclusive, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 20th December. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation, and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to

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SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH. Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this

proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific | Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. proceeding Overland by the Southern Pasing and connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific, or Canadian Pacific Railways.

Passengers, who have paid full fare, results and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4

P.M. on the day before sailing.

Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipshipped at Colombo: General Cargo for Loudon
will be conveyed vit Bombay, without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the This allowance does not apply to through fares ordinary direct route via Colombo. Tea will be from China and Japan to Europe. sout either via Bombay or Colombo according the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages | For further particulars regarding FREIGHT

BOTTLES, ORNAMENTS, etc.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES-OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer

"POLYPHEMUS" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis charged into Craft and/or landed at the Go downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees, risk. The Cargo will be ready On 30th inst., at 1 P.M. I for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after On 10th prox. at 1 P.M. the 15th inst. Goods undelivered after the 22nd instant will be subject to Rent, All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M., the 23rd inst.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hougkong, 13th December, 1890. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND BINGAPORE. HE Steamship

To-morrow, at 10 A.H. "WINGSANG." laving arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf p. 760. This is the only authorised complete and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whonce delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 22nd instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been offected. Consigness are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 29th instant, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by.

JARDINE MATHESON & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, 15th December, 1890. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY;

LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave THE Company's Steamship Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Murseilles, and accepted in baving arrived from the above Ports. Consignees transit through Marseilles for the principal of Cargo are beroby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Kowibon, whance delivery Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 31st inst. (Parcelulars note to be sent on board No Claims will be admitted after the Goods they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Con

have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be Friday, the 26th inst., at 5.00 P.M. sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon on the 20th instant, or they will not be All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th instant, at 4 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and

Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 20th

instant will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, 15th December, 1890, STEAMSHIP "SYDNEY."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. NOTICE.

CYONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex shortly expected here, will have quick despatch S.S. Guadiana and Tigre, from Havre ex S.S. Tigie, from Bordeaux ex S.S. Ville Mayseille and Frederic Morel, in connection with above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure. and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless

intimation is received from the Consignees before NOON TO-DAY (THURSDAY), requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after SATI DAY, the 27th inst., at Noon, will be subject to ING's Cough Lozunous (recognised and recomrent and landing charges at one cent per package | mended by the Medical. Faculty). No other

the 27th inst., or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, CARLOWITZ & Co.

Hongkong, 18th December, 1890.

CHEONG & Co... General Dealers in FURNITURE, NORMOUS SUCCESS having attended ELECTRO-PLATE, GLASS and CBOCK the publication in the columns of the ERY WARE, CUTLERY, CARPETS, Daily Press for some years past of Original UNDERTAKE to FURNISH HOUSES List, which we subjoin. Tales by the best writers of fiction in the English Language, they will be continued regularly. at the shortest notice. Arrangements are being made for the publica-18. D'AGUILAR STREET (Behind the Hongkong

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WEEK DAYS. Author of "The Bells of St. Barnabas," "The | 8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour. Romance of an Insurance Office." "Revealed by 12 (Noon) to 1 p.m. every quarter of an bour. 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. every half an hour. The Opening Instalment appeared in our Sp.m. to 7.90 p.m. every quarter of an hour, SATURDAYS. NIGHT TRAMS at 10.30 p.m. and 11 p.m. SUNDAYS.

CHURCH TRAM at 10.40 a.m. 12 (Noon) to 2 p.m. every quarter of an hour. 3 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. every quarter of an hour. 9 p.m., 10 p.m., 10.30 p.m., and 11 p.m. SPECIAL CARS may be obtained on applica-THE FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL tion to the Superintendent. Single Tickets are sold in the Cars: Fivethe above Company will be held at the Com-Cent Coupons and REDUCED TICKETS at the MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,

General Managers. The Transfer Books of the Company will be Hongkong, 22nd October, 1890. Hosed from the 15th to the 29th instant, both THE REMBRANDT STUDIO. Wine is as designated. No. 2. D'AGUILAR ST. (just behind the Hongkong Club), is now Open,

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Hongkong, 25th September, 1890.

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VESSELS EXPECTED THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. steamer Pekin, with the English mail, left Singapore at 5.30 p.m. on the 17th and is due on the 23rd inst. THE AUSTRALIAN MATL, The E. & A. steamer Airlie left Port Darwin n the 17th inst. and is due on the 27th last: THE AMERICAN WALL. The P. M. steamer City of Rio de Janetre,

left Ban Francisco on the 29th ultimo, via

MERCHANT STEAMERS. The D. D. R. steamer Hesperia left Singapore at moon on the 14th and is due here on or about the 21st inst. The P. & O. steamer Verong left Nagasaki at p.m. on the 18th and is due on the 23rd inst. The N. G. I. steamer Bormida left Singapore on the morning of the 18th and is due on the The P. & O. steamer Venstia left Bombay on he 6th inst.

oon on the 16th December. POST-OFFICE NOTICES. The Postal Guide for 1890, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory

The P. & O. steamer Thibet left Bombay at

Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong. The authorised List of Mails issued in counsction with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected. to a much later bour than that given below.

A MAH, WILL GLOSE, For Kudat and Sandakan .- Per Memnes, today, the 20th inst., at 9.30-A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foothow,-Per Haitan, to-day, the 20th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Kobe, Yokohama, and Vancouver .-- Per Abussinia, to-morrow, the 21st inst., at 9.00 A.M. For Shanghai .- Per Amoy, to-morrow, the 21st inst., at 9.00 a. M. For Timer, Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney,

and Melbourne. - Per Menmuir, on Monday, the 22nd inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Singapore.—Per Frigga, on Tuesday, the 23rd inst., at 0.30 A.M. For Haifong .- Per Haifong, on Tuesday, the 23rd inst . at 11.30 A.M. For Straits and Calcutta.—Per Wingsang, on Tuesday, the 23rd inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Straits and Bombay. Per Teheran. on Wednesday, the 24th inst. at 11.30 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokobama.—Per Verone, on Friday, the 26th inst., at 5:00 P.M. For Swatow and Deli.—Per Taicheong, on

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Sachsen will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 20th inst. with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond via Brindist; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malts, &c., &c. Registry cesses at 4.45 P.M. The mail closes at.

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Now First Published. CHAPTER II. Thou shalt not steal; an empty feat,

When it's so lucrative to cheat. Captain Reginald Denison was the second of three sons of a Suffulk baronat a man sorupulous bonour and integrity, stern and unbending in his high-toned morality. Bir-John Denison had twice paid his son

gambling debts. On the third application for the assistance of the parental sponge, the baronet took time to consider before complying with his son's modest demand. Eventually, however, he handed-Captain Denison a cheque considerably expeding the amount asked But the satisfaction with which Captain Denison received the munificent sum was considermbly dashed by the caustic observation with which it was accompanied. There, sir, I have done for you all that I in-

tend to do. You have now received the whole liberty to reform or go to the dogs in your own-

Captain Denison elected to "gn-to-the dogs." Reckless whilst the money lasted he became even more reckless when it was all spent, for finding himself no longer capable of supporting his position as an officer holding the Queen's commission, he disappeared from the army when, ourious'y enough, Fortune, which had frowned on him bitherto, began to smile upon him after he had adopted the life of a professional gambler and adventurer.

greater or lesser degree of acquaintance. He passed the greater part of his time abroad, visit-Ting Puris, Hamburg, Baden-Baden, Monaco, and Monte Carlo in turn. He was endowed with a handsome presence, marred only by too prononned aquiline features that earned for him in certain circles the nickname of "Captain Vulture." Notwithstanding this defect he was a man of agreeable and polished address, with hosts of acquaintances who passed for friends. His reputation did not suffer from the evil rumours that attacked the ruck of gamblers The worst that was said of him was that " he had the devil's own luck." But it was not to be inferred from this that he played with loaded dice or was guilty of any malpractice that could untit him for the society of gentlemen. In short, Captain Denison contrived to keep on the safe side of that fine line that divides the gambler.

pure and simple, from the level of the blackleg. He was on his way to Monte Carlo, and was staying for a few days in Paris en route, when shance-directed his footsteps one day to the Louvre. Captain Denison cared little for pictures and statuary, and as for the jargon of "bigh art" he understood it as it is a he understood Chiness. But he was ennuye, and with a few moments to spave he thought he could not do better than escape from the scorohing Boulethe Louvre, in one of which he first encountered Winifred West.

Winifred was engaged in making a small replica of a war picture whilst her father, sitting in his wheelphair close by, occupied himself with his Galignani. Captain Denison's first impression was one of amusement to see so youthful s tyro of the arts engaged upon what, even to his immature understanding, was evidently an ambitious attempt. But the next moment his amusement gave place to admiration as his eye caught the beautiful face of the youthful artist and the flowing lines of her building figure. He became so absorbed in watching her that he failed to notice the invalid sitting in the wheelchair, until altering his position in order to obtain a closer view of Winifred's face he

Major Wost, who had retired from the army in sobs. consequence of a severe wound in the hip, which had left him permanently lame, and from the though the child's painful gaspings for breath was overloyed to see an old comrade in arms, inconceivable pauga. She had witnessed, too, and the intimacy then renewed was continued the lowering of the tiny coffin in the deep earth antil the death of the Major who knowing without betraying the sorrow which only a nothing of his friend's later history, committed.

Winifred to his care. that he was most reluctant to accept a trust for world alone, the fount of tears which had FIHE Undersigned having been appointed which he felt himself utterly unfit. He frankly seemed dried up was unsealed and burst forth A Agents for the above Company, are pretold the Major that it was "not in his line." But when the veteran pleaded that Winifred weep at last. Pears brought relief to her over- and LIFE at Current Rates. would be left alone and friendless, and appealed wrought heart, and by-and-bys, when her sorrow to him by the memory of the dangers they had had spent its force, her brain, which had grown shared together that he would not refuse his confused, cleared again. "Here I deno right?" prayer, Captain Denison consented. Having she exclaimed with the inconsistency of a FTHE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE undertaken the responsibility, he also meant to woman reviewing her action. For the first go through with it faithfully and hononrably. time a doubt saited her mind. . " Could a woman a sum barely amounting to one hundred pounds saids the most sacred of all ties?" She had told per anuum was left for Winifred's maintenance her husband that henceforward she would be and finding after consultation with a friend who Winifred West, assuming once more her maiden was better acquainted with such matters than hame. "But how could she by any sot of her himself, that the girl really possessed artistic own volition alter facts? Was she not his wife capabilities of a very high order, he arranged still? Could anything short of death, or dis-for her education in the technicalities of the honour worse then death, change that?" profession that she had shosen. Having placed But the thought of her child came to strongher under the care of a respectable woman, who then her. How with the memory of that pure

Denison started for Moneco. During the three months of his absence he and to that she had vowed herself, when the maintained a regular correspondence with his child died, she would at any cost be true. She could ward, who reported the events of her daily life live so that the memory of the dead face should with the spontaneousness of a frank unsophis- never be a rebuke to her. It seemed to her that ticated nature. When he returned to Paris, the child had been taken away to set her free bringing with him a well-lined purse, he noted and give her energy to achieve her redemption with admiration the great change that three from the slough into which she had fallen by her months had wrought in Winifred's appearance. marriage, and who shall say that she was wrong? Tall and graceful as a fawn, every attitude one | As calmer thoughts returned to her she be of unstudied grace, Winifred in the first blush came more satisfied that the decision she had of her maidenly beauty was endowed with undeniable charms. But what pleased Captain hand-in-hand with her husband, steadfastly pur-Denison most was the entire freshness of her ening the right together. But he had failed to feeling, and her air of caudour and innocence, as understand her from the beginning of their of a soul ignorant of this world's evil. The married life, and she knew that she must tread entire ingenuousness of her nature, and the look | the difficult path of duty alone. of innocent simplicity in her eyes, suggested to | Winifred awoke next morning, having enjoyed

jest that was received by Winifred with grave, stern struggle awaited her in her endeavours to wondering eyes. It was the first time that the obtain her living, but she felt that she had now idea had entered her mind that there was any. "a heart for any fate." It seemed to her as if thing else to live for except the art that she death had given back to her her babe in a new and loved. Captain Denison masked his approaches glorified form. She no longer thought of him as to the virgin citadel of her heart under plausible dead. She felt that he was with her to lead her arguments based professedly on sincere concern by the hand, and guide her, so that she might for her welfare. His manner, too, was so quietly thread her way safely through the temptations authoritative that she knew not how to resist that beset a human pathway. Her old life seemed him. She was barely seventeen, without ex- far away. A new life was opened before her, perience-to guide her, or a relative in the world She rowed that she would go forth to meet it, to appeal to. What else could she do tian yield so that her child, the presence that she felt near, to his persuasions, which, though she was little should never be ashamed of his mother. conscious of it, amounted to moral coercion of When, she quitted her bedroom she found a her uninformed will. On one point she was newspaper, neatly folded, lying on the breakfast clear, when she married him. She did not love table. Her eye lighted on a paragraph which him. He told her that her love would come she read with a trembling eagerness that caused later; and don'tless he might have proved a true her breath to come more quickly. prophet if he had been worthy. But though I It contained a brief account of a disaster in the she did not love him she was grateful to him for Solent. The Sea-Mew, a yacht belonging to Mr. his goodness to her in the time of her trial; John Denison, eldest son of Sir. John Denison, grateful too for his acceptance of the guardian-ship of a young girl like herself, and flattered down to the water's edge and all on board pertoo by his preference for her. It did not enter ished. The owner of the yacht and his younger pany, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS her mind that his preference for her was the brother, Mr. Perpy Denison were amongst these against FIRE at Current Rates.

Winifred soon learned that she had not linked Sir John Denison, was seized with paralysis, and her fate with the high-minded obivalrous friend that Sir Julius Venn, the eminent London inveterate gambler and roue. The earliest re- concluded with the information that in convelation came soon after her marriage. The sequence of the accident the next heir was Cap-London season was just beginning when they arrived in England, and after a few days passed Hussars. at a West End hotel, Captain Denison took a Winifred, although she had not known her furnished house in Cavendish Street. Here the husband's relatives, was deeply shocked at these scales first fell from Winifred's eyes, though it tidings. She not unnaturally began to reflect THE NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSUR was some time before she learned to put fact and on the alteration in her husband's position that fact together. As soon as they were settled in must onsue. Cavendish Street. Captain Denison, who, on one Poor Sir John," she murmured to herself. F. THE Undersigned having been appointed pretence and another, had postponed introducing "To lose both of his sone at one blow! And - Anexts for the above Company, are his wife to his family, accounced that some old Regicald? Why, in all human probability in a prepared to GRANT INSURANCES to the friends of his would dine with them that even- few hours he will be Sir Reginald Donison, of extent of \$100,000, on first-class risks at ouring. "Now, at last," thought Winifred, "she Alverthorpe, and-1-1-." would have some one on whose mature experience ... I am Winifred West."

she would lean, and to whom she could give those confidences that women only give to each other." Captain Denison showed himself exceedingly HONGKONG LADIES DIRECTORY. anxious about his wife's appearance at their first diunor party, and Winifred spared no effort to ESIDENTS who have changed their please him. When she desconded to the draw- A address will oblige the Publisher by ing-room to await the arrival of her guests she forwarding particulars for insertion in the more than satisfied her husband's fastidious. Directory for 1891. tasts. She were a rich dress of silk, trimmed Residents who have arrived within the past with velvet—for she had resumed her mourning year are invited to send in their names for for her father and the black became the purity insertion in the same work. of her complexion and the dazzling whiteness of

her beautiful neck and arms. Her corsage was out low, and though her figure was wanting in the ripe fullness of wemanhood the subtler charm of girlhood was here. A diamond locket sparkled on her breast and a diamond star shone from the thick masses of her crisp wavy brown hair. The only trace of colour was the delicate rose of her softly rounded cheeks.

It was with a beating heart that Winifre welcomed her guests. She looked wistfully the face of her husband for an explanation of the circumstance that no lady was numbered amongst them. But Captain Denison's smiling face exhibited no trade of sharing his fair young wife's anxiety. He saw that the men whom he had invited were smitten with her beauty, and he was satisfied.

After dinner Winifred was still more perplexed to find the drawing-room utilised for games that were strange and new to her, in which a good deal of money appeared to change hands. Not even then did the whole truth break upon her. metaphorical coach-and-six through Acts of Parliament, and that ostensibly living before he had converted his house into a private gam. Dane Company, Idacoli, England. bling den. Long before: Winifred came to understand her position, Captain Denison's extablishment in Cavendish Street was freely spoken of amongst the "fast set" at the clubs as " a nice quiet place where olub rules don't hold."

Winifred in her innocence imagined that her Unsurpassed for promoting the growth and improving the appearance of the heir. Gazenteed husband, finding his home a little dull, had called in a few friends to drive away enwet. But when the dinner parties became an institution as regular as their morning meal, her suspicions on exceptionally fine perfume for the handkerchief, took alarm. One thing only was wanting to give her suspicions shape, and it was not many weeks before that was forthcoming. She could no before that was forthcoming. She could no longer doubt when one of the least mannerly of her guests in taking his leave of her after an evening at play in, which fortune had been against There were few gambling hells on the Con-tinent with which Captain Denison had not a it Winifred herself had been in the plot to

despoil hits. Captain Denison shrank from the explanation possess was obtained by such means as she had In. to 80s. each. seen. He wound up his explanations by point-

All possibility of affection for her husband died away in the hour when she first learnt that the man who should have protected her from the least appearance of insult was guilty of the ineffable meanness and degradation of exposing its wife as the decoy to a gambling-hell! This was descent that the possibility of the ineffable meanness and degradation of exposing its wife as the decoy to a gambling-hell! This was descent the four feld, the life to be like the perfect of the ineffable meanness and degradation of exposing its wife as the decoy to a gambling-hell! This was descent form fold, the life to be like the perfect of the perfect of the ineffable meanness and degradation of exposing its life. The perfect of the the explanation of Lord Algy Fitzharbert's ex- dozen. Currs. For Ladies, Gentlemen, and Children, traordinary behaviour that evening, when seating from 6s. 11d. per don.

bireself by her side at the piane whilst she was SHIRTS. Best quality longeloth bodies, with fourplaying a piece from Schumaun he had dared to whisper love proposals in her ears. His words bad outraged her to the very soul after hearing ber husband's explanations, but ROBINSON & CLEAVER, BELFAST, IBELAND. she felt the rising colour in her cheeks, and the quick beaving of her bosom as she rese from the piane with the offended dignity of a queen must have appeared in the eyes even of such a witless young nobleman as Lord Algy like a piece of acting. Verily, the iron entered her soul that

night! She ventured to ask her husband whether his friends knew that she was his wife? But he laughed at her scruples and mockingly asked her whether it was necessary to exhibit their marriage lines to his visitors. She shuddered to think the thing she had become. The poeforward her life heldout for her no hope. Then came the birth of the child to reconcile her in part to the lot from which she could see no escape.

A brave ressel Dashed all to pisces. When Winifred found herself alone after

CHAPTER: III.

recognised in the young artist's father an old Captain Denison's departure, the long pent-up comrade with whom he had served in the Soudan. agitation of many days broke loose in passionate She could not weep when her child died. effects of which his life was slowly abbing away. had torn the heart of the young mother with

mother bereft of her first-born our understand. But now she had taken an irrevocable step, and Let it be recorded in Captain Denison's favour she was henceforth to fight her battle with the with stormy energy. It was well that she could pared to ACCEPT RISKS sgainst FIRE Onsettling the Vajor's affairs he discovered that ever be justified," she saked herself, "in setting

undertook to accompany her in her journeyings and innocent face lying in its tiny coffin could Rates to and fro between her lodgings and the atudio she go back to the old life she had regarded with where she went to receive lessons, Captain and which she felt to be evil and loathed so utterly? One thing was left to her.

him a scheme that he lost no time in carrying the first unbroken rest she had known for months.

and with an elasticity of spirits to which she He began to speak to her of marriage : a sub- had long been a stranger. She knew that a hard

preference of the wily snake for the innocent reported to be lost. The paragraph went on to dove. That was to come later. who scothed the last moments of her father, and physician, who was telegraphed for to Al-who had watchfully befriended her, but with an vertherpe, held out no hope of his recovery, and

Hongkong, 6th December, 1890.

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seen. He wound up his explanations by pointing out to her the extremely important aid that she could render by making herself agreeable to his guests, enjoining upon her at the same time not to be shooked at triffes.

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All possibility of affection for her husband died pards. See Sd. sach. Kitchen Table Cloths. 11d.

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